

STEVENS COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT

- Washington State Legislature authorized Conservation Districts in 1939 (RCW 89.08)
- SCCD was organized in March 1942
- Conservation Districts are entities of State Government, abiding by all state rules, regulations, and laws.
- Non-Regulatory
- The SCCD is Non-Taxing

SCCD is Governed by a Board of Five Supervisors

- Three Supervisors are elected
- Two Supervisors are appointed by the Conservation Commission
- Roles of the Supervisors:
 - Responsible for the Natural Renewable Resources within the District Boundaries
 - Establish District conservation priorities
 - Set District administrative policies
- District Staff carries out the Board's priorities/policies

Current Non-Paid Supervisors

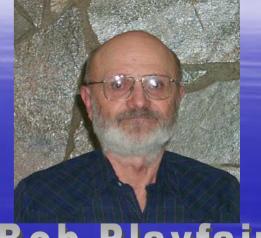


Pete Guglielmino

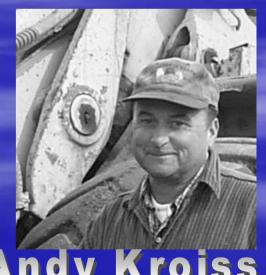




Tom McKern



Bob Playfair



Andy Kroiss

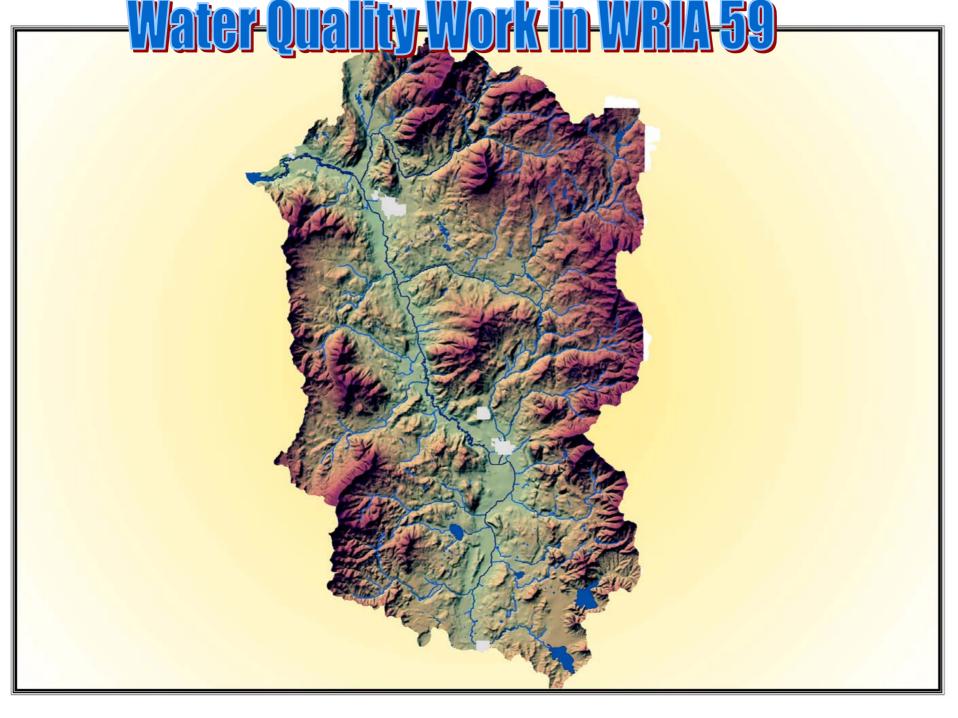
District Mission

To promote the wise use of the renewable natural resources within Stevens County.

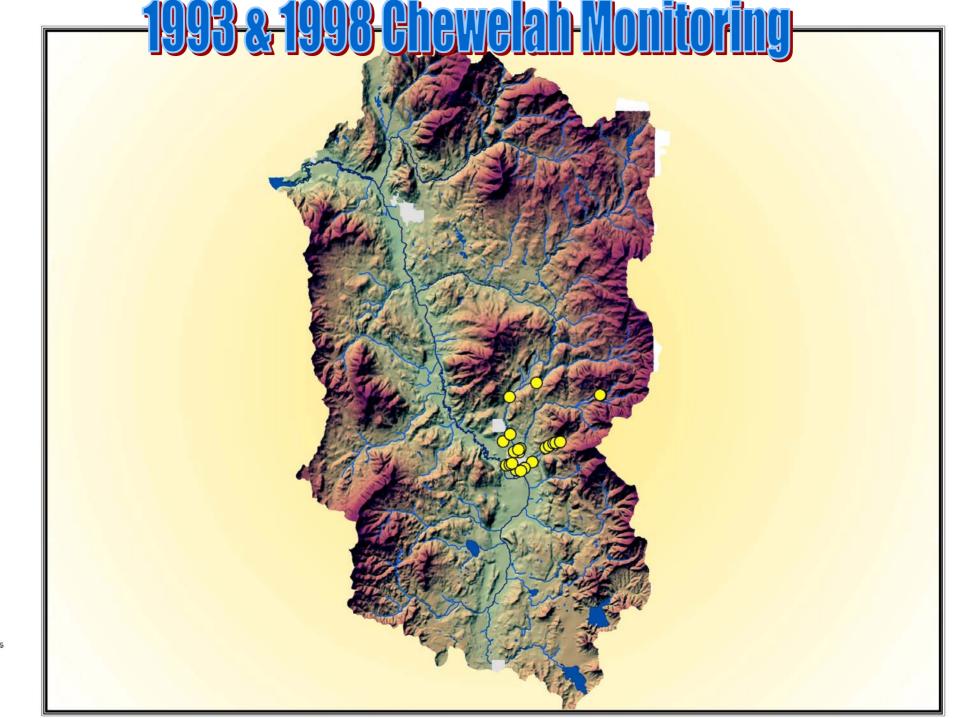
The District encourages private landowners to voluntarily implement practices to protect and conserve soil, water, farmland, rangeland, woodlands, wildlife, and other renewable resources.

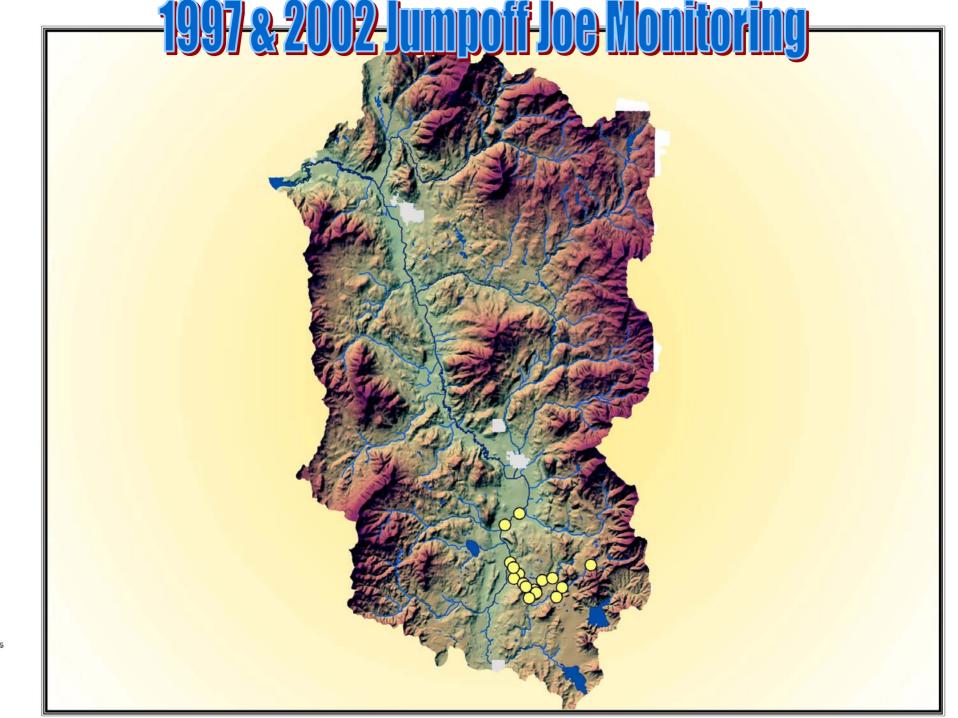
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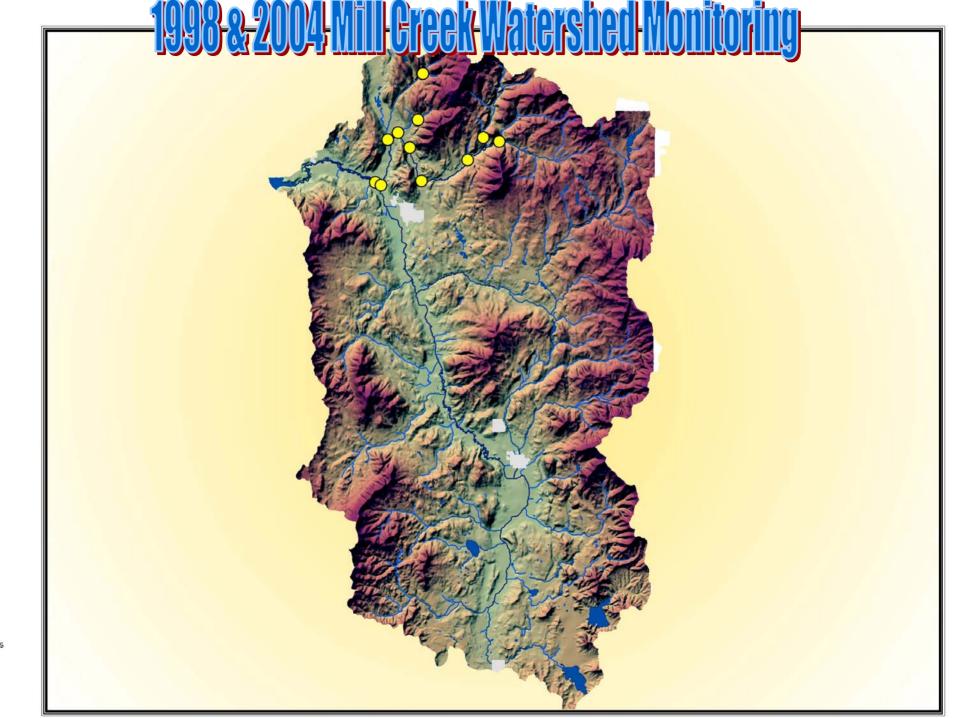
- Grants
- State < \$10,000 Annually (Started in 1988)</p>
- County ~ \$7,500 Annually
- Building Rent
- Tree Sales



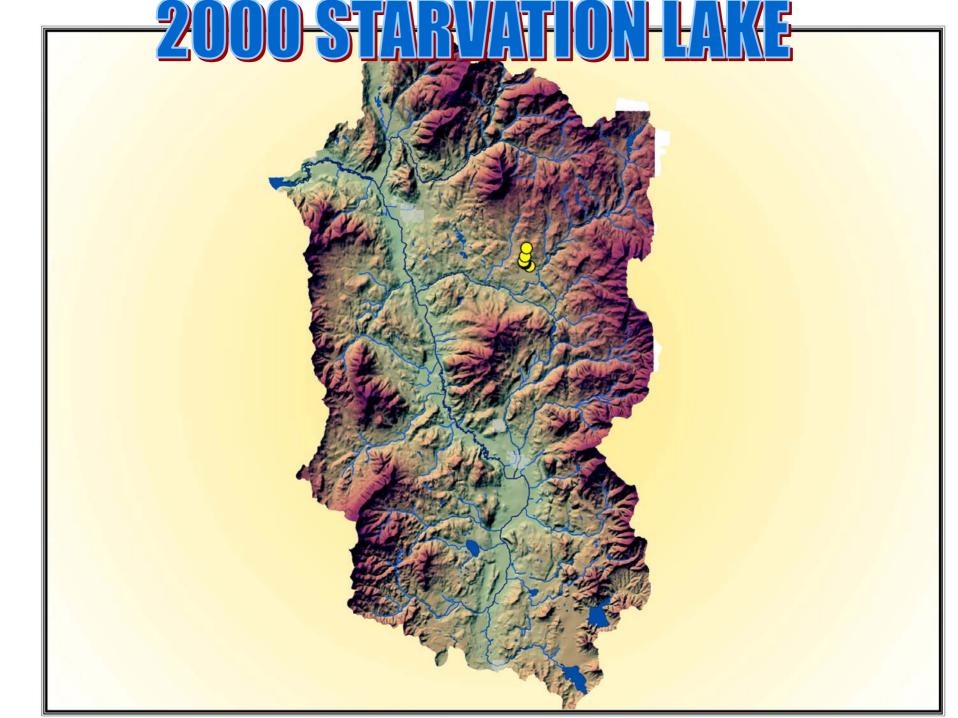


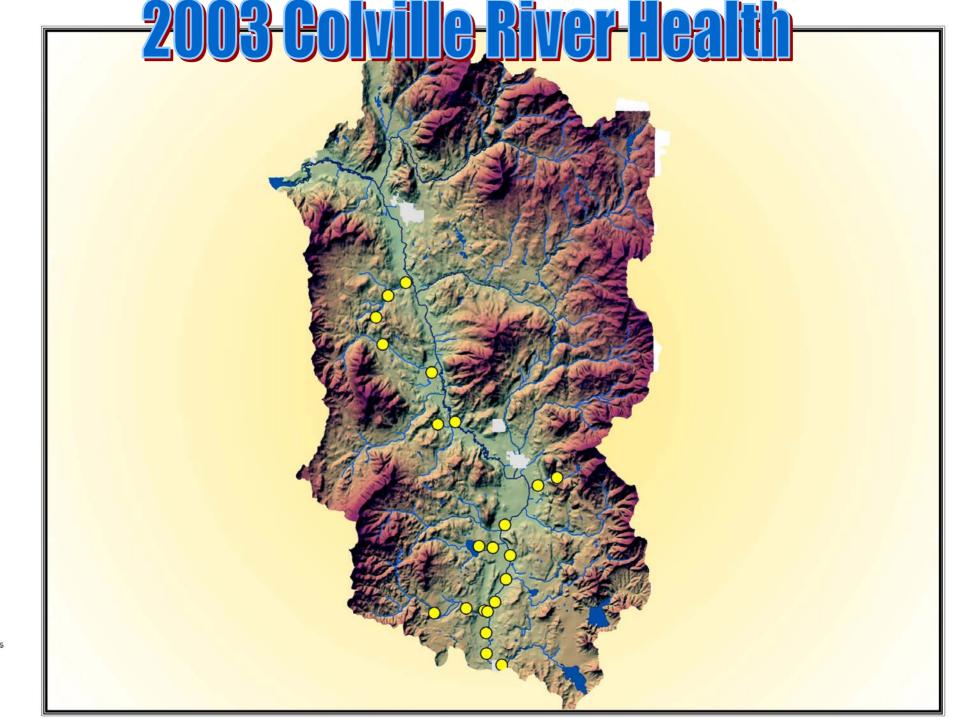


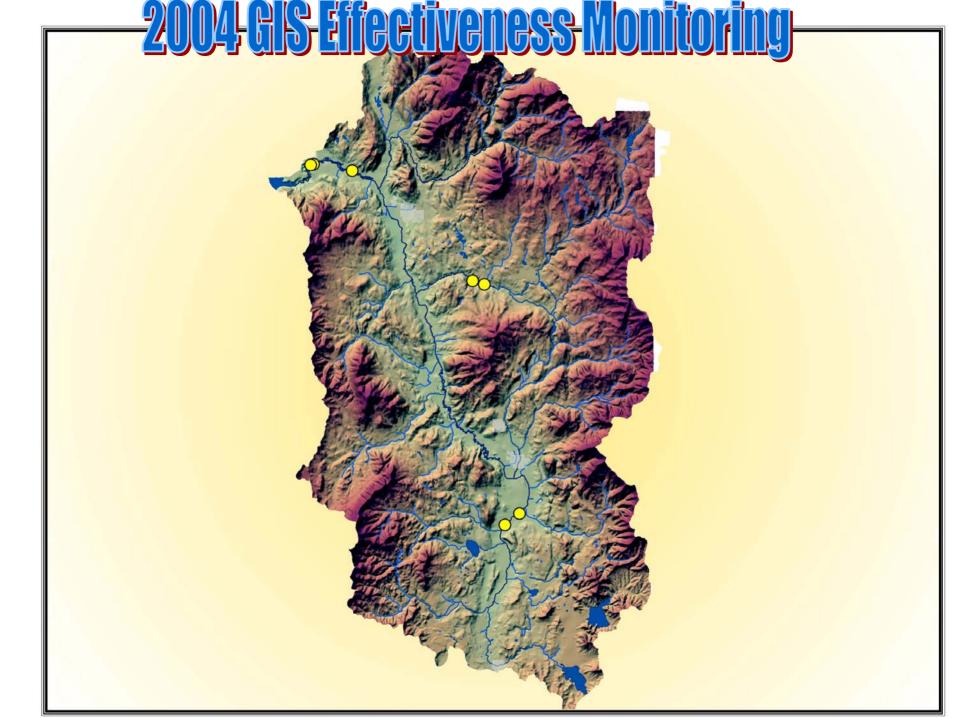


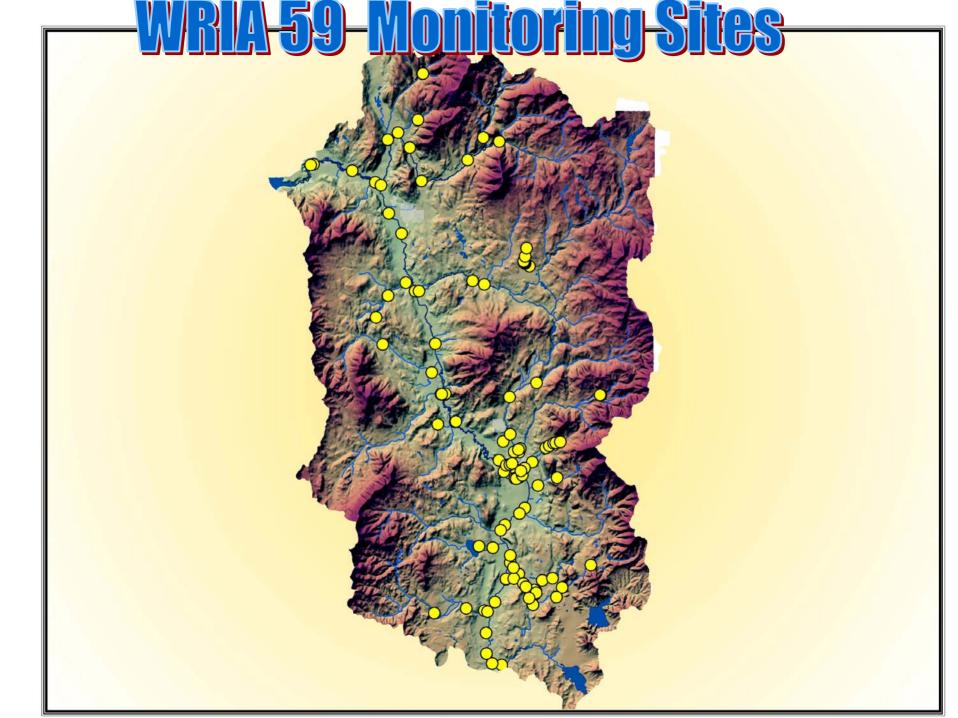














District Cost-Share Projects

Streambank Stabilization

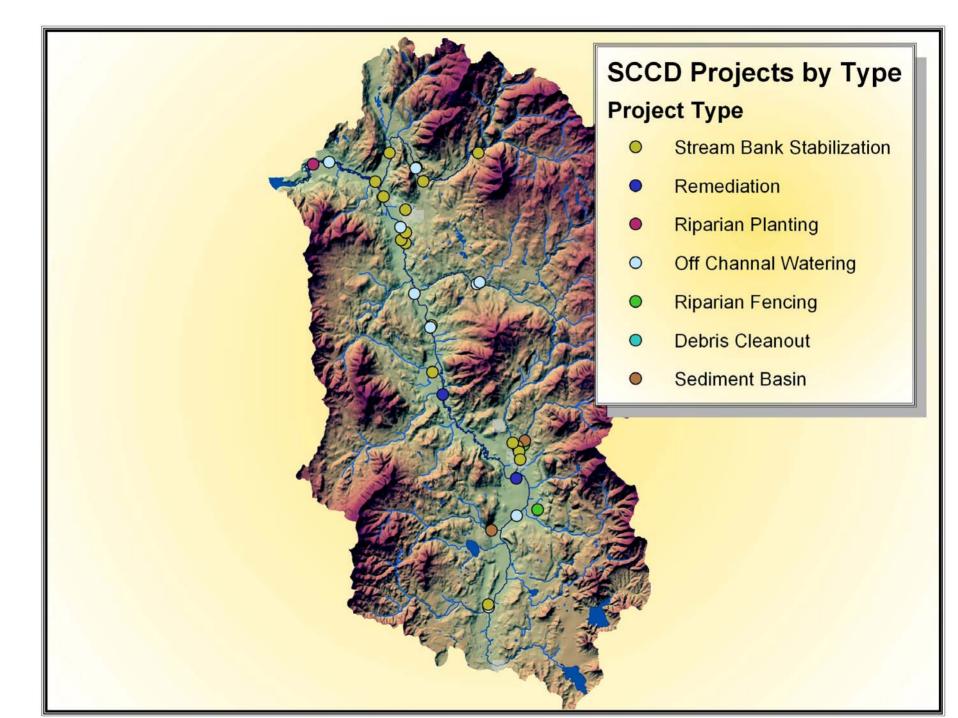
Riparian Planting

Off-channel Watering

Exclusion Fencing

Debris Cleanout

Sediment Settling Basin











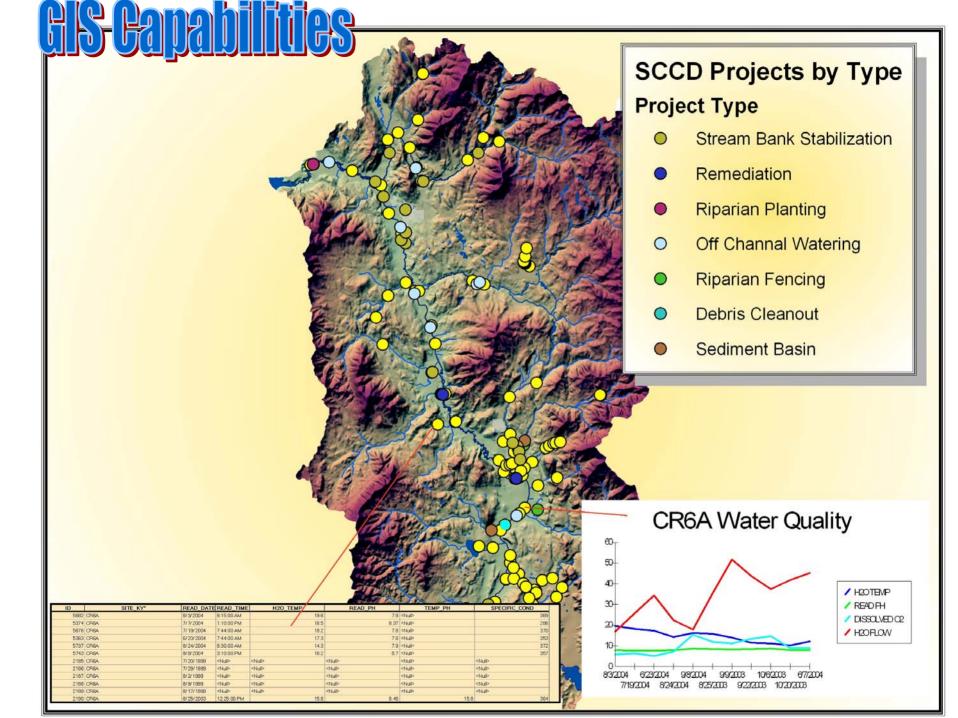


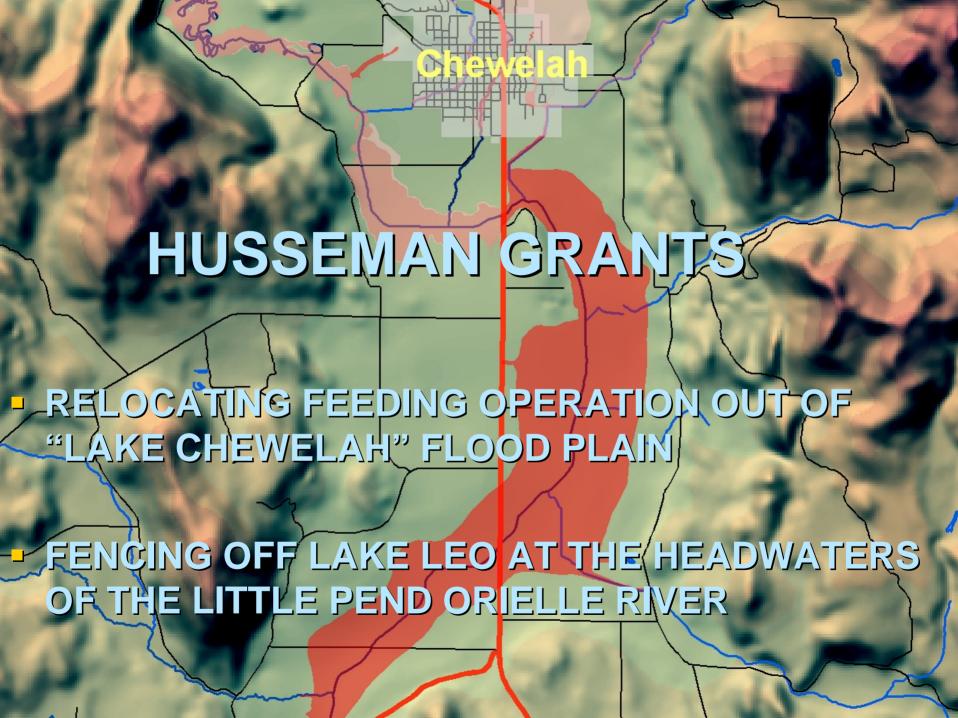












AFO/CAFO





- Water Quality Monitoring in WRIA 59
- Partner with WSU (Dr Call) for field validation of current BST research
- Supply monitoring data to the TMDL Advisory Group
- Educate Landowners on water quality awareness and BMP's

ON-GOING EDUCATIONAL <u>EFFORTS</u>

- Thomason Creek Grant with Chewelah School District
- Newsletters to ALL county residents
- Collaboration with local organizations
 - WFFA
 - Cattlemen
 - Hay Growers
 - Farm Bureau

SUMMARY

SCCD is committed to providing conservation education, technical assistance, and cost-share incentives to private landowners for their voluntary implementation of proven conservation practices.